



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
SPINE 3.0-452 CONT

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Art Unit
10/715,965-Conf. #5392	November 18, 2003	P. Philogene	3733

Applicant(s): James D. Ralph and Thomas N. Troxell

Invention: SPACER DEVICE AND INSERTION INSTRUMENT FOR USE IN ANTERIOR CERVICAL FIXATIONSURGERY

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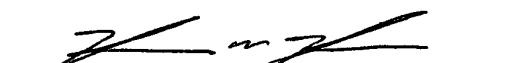
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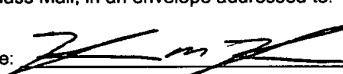
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